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## **AMENDMENT**

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action of March 7, 2007 in which prosecution was reopened and claims 1-8, 10-14 and 16-43 were rejected. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.